

Cfn. Vern T. Clark celebrated his sixth overseas birthday on Feb. 3, and his second birthday in Italy. Cfn. Clark completed five years of service overseas on Jan. 12. In recent letters he stated that he was spending seven days leave in Rome. He is the son of Mrs. E. Clark, Ajax, formerly of Newmarket.

Pte. Irvine "Spike" Naylor, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Naylor.

Pte. Bill "Smitty" Smith, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Smith.

Stwd. C. J. Davidson was home on four-day leave this week. Mrs. Davidson lives on Vincent St.

Pte. Arnold Leeder, Camp Borden, is spending a leave with his wife and family.

Mrs. Roy Sanderson received a child's coat, bonnet and mitts from her husband, Pte. Roy Sanderson, who is now serving in Holland. The gifts were sent while Pte. Sanderson was in Belgium and were sent for their little daughter, Heather.

Council Welcomes Squad-Ldr. G. B. Ough

Business was laid aside for a few minutes Monday night when Squad-Ldr. Gordon B. Ough, D.F.C., was given an informal "welcome home" by Newmarket town council. Mayor Dr. L. W. Dales introduced Squad-Ldr. Ough to the council and said: "We are proud and happy to have you back. You have won a splendid distinction for yourself and the town. While you have travelled far, you have returned. We hope you will stay when this war is done."

Replying to the mayor, Squad-Ldr. Ough said, "This is an unforeseen honor. I think you are a little inclined to over estimate these things but I thank you for the gesture. Speaking for the rest of the boys: over there, Newmarket has done a grand job in sending them comforts and cigarettes. Keep up the good work."

Squad-Ldr. Ough then shook hands with every member of the council and left the chambers. The council resumed business.

ARRANGE RENOVATION

Lieut. Col. Rufus Spooner of the Salvation Army, Toronto, was in town on Monday to finalize arrangements for the renovation of the Salvation Army Citadel on Queen St., Newmarket. Major Reg Gage accompanied Col. Spooner.

Councillors Protest Arena Being Open Sunday Afternoon

"We have got to do something about skating at the arena on Sunday," Councillor Frank Bowser told Newmarket town council Monday night. "The rink should be kept closed Sunday. I don't think it is right that it should be open."

"What harm is there to having the rink open?" asked Councillor Jos. Vale. "Possibly no harm at all," replied Councillor Bowser. "But I don't think it is right."

"I second Mr. Bowser," said Councillor George Byers. "While I haven't been to the arena on a Sunday, I hear that there are several spectators and skaters there and that the music box can be heard from Main St. The public is taking it for granted that it is open for business."

"I am against it, a public enterprise, being open on Sunday," N. L. Mathews, town solicitor, declared.

"Once you permit that sort of thing to start, there is no stopping it," said Councillor J. A. Perks.

DUMP TRESPASSES

A letter was read to Newmarket council Monday night from the C.N.R. in which it was stated that the town dump had encroached upon the railway property and it was hoped that the town council would be ready to co-operate in alleviating the condition. The letter also stated that the passengers on the trains were heard to make considerable unfavorable comment on the appearance of the dump.

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Monday, Feb. 12—Euchre in Orange Hall, Aurora, at 8:15 p.m.

Tuesday, Feb. 13—Ited Cross dance at Sharon hall. Opening of new floor. Admission 35 cents. Canteen lunch.

Tuesday, Feb. 13—Euchre in St. John's school under auspices of Catholic Women's League. Poultry prizes. Refreshments. 8 p.m. Admission 25 cents.

Wednesday, Feb. 14—A piano recital by pupils of Mrs. H. Pollard will be held in the United Church Sunday-school room, Keswick, at 8 p.m. Also a variety program. Proceeds for boys' overseas boxes. Canteen lunch.

Wednesday, Feb. 14—Special St. Valentine's skating carnival at Queensville arena. Come in costume. Skating for old and young from 8 p.m. to 10:30 p.m. Good prizes and novelty number. Excellent music and canteen. Admission 25c.

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Tuesday, Feb. 20—Remember the turkey dinner at St. Andrew's Presbyterian church from 5:30 to 8 p.m. Admission \$1. Secure your tickets early as only a limited number are being issued.

Wednesday, Feb. 21—Ladies' lawn bowling club bridge in the parish hall at 2:30 p.m. Admission 25c.

Thursday, March 22—Rummage sale, also sale of home-made baking in Trinity United church, under auspices of the Evangelical Auxiliary of the W.M.S. Please reserve this date.

TAKE OVER BUSINESS

Ken Howard and James Sloss, right, have taken over the operation of Arctic Lockers from N. Dorland. Mr. Howard was formerly manager of the meat department of Dominion Stores in Newmarket and Mr. Sloss was formerly chief constable.

Story Of China's Battle Told By Returned Minister

By J. WILLIAMS

Last week, Newmarket was host to one of Ontario's most versatile ministers, Geoffrey W. Royall, Toronto, who spent nine years in China. He was the guest speaker of the missionary convention at the Church of the Nazarene which convened Sunday through Thursday.

Each evening the congregation heard exciting accounts of guerilla warfare behind the Japanese lines, of Christian courage in the face of enemy persecution, and the progress made by all denominations in occupied territory in spite of Japanese oppression.

Rev. Royall spoke to an enthusiastic high school assembly Tuesday on the subject Modern China Youth in Action. He told how one high school in Shantung province, still loyal to Chungking, continued their studies using bricks for slates instead of paper and lime chips for chalk instead of pencils. His thrilling account of a midnight guerilla escapade held the entire student body and faculty in wrapt attention.

Thursday night, Rev. Royall spoke to a large audience, giving his life story, telling experiences while four years on the China half of the Burma Road and five in Japanese occupied territory. The special feature of the evening was the gifted singing of Mrs. Royall and a village scene in which the congregation were supposed to represent a heathen community. Rev. Royall spoke in Chinese and Mrs. Royall interpreted into English.

According to Rev. L. E. Sparks, pastor of the Church of the Nazarene, this week's missionary convention was one of the most profitable and timely functions ever to come to Newmarket.

"The information, education and inspiration of Rev. Royall's addresses will linger for a long time in the hearts of the people of the entire town," Mr. Sparks said.

HAS 8TH BIRTHDAY

Friends and neighbors honored Mrs. Chanley Eves at a social evening Wednesday. It was Mrs. Eves' 87th birthday.

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WOLF THRILLS SAT. SHOPPERS

Saturday afternoon shoppers on Main St. were able to enjoy a close-up of a wolf when Nathaniel Hoover and his two sons, Lorne and Harold, brought one they had shot to town. Mr. Hoover said they had put the wolf in the back of their car but public interest was such that they brought it out and draped it over the car trunk for all to see.

According to Mr. Hoover, the wolf weighed 44 pounds, measured four feet, three inches from nose to tip, and stood two feet, six inches high. Its color was sandy grey with black markings. The wolf died hard. Mr. Hoover said his son, Harold, shot it twice with a shot gun, and Lorne hit it three times with a .22 rifle.

The Hoovers, who live on lot 23, sixth concession, East Gwillimbury, spotted the wolf as it crossed their farm. They have already collected the township bounty.

JAMES LEEDER MADE ACTING POLICE CHIEF

Chairman of the police committee, Councillor J. A. Perks, told the Newmarket council Monday that his committee favored placing Constable James Leeder in the position of acting chief constable to replace James Sloss who resigned as chief constable last month.

"There were six applicants for the job," said Councillor Perks. "After careful consideration, we decided to place James Leeder as acting chief constable."

What salary will be paid Leeder, Councillor Perks was asked.

"He will be paid a salary of \$32 with a car allowance of nine dollars a week," he said. "In addition, he will get seven cents a mile for outside trips." Council approved the report of the committee.

GRANDCHILD OF FORMER EDITOR FATALLY HURT

Well known at Port Credit high school, where she took an active part in sports and social activities, and was a leading member of the "teen-age club," Joanna Ruth (Jo) Crickmore, was fatally injured when struck by a car on her way to a dance in Port Credit, and died in St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, on Friday night.

Miss Crickmore was 15 years old. She was the daughter of Evelyn Hawkes and Sydney Magrath Crickmore, Lakeview Ave., Clarkson. She is also survived by two brothers, Sub-Lieut. Bruce Crickmore, serving in the Pacific, and Jack, at home.

Mrs. Crickmore was associate editor of The Newmarket Era while her father, the late Arthur Hawkes, was editor.

John Black Was Well Known King Resident

John Black, Glenview, husband of the late Martha Jane Stephenson, died at the home of his youngest daughter, Mrs. Geo. Anning, Newmarket, after a brief illness of one week. He was in his 80th year.

Mr. Black was a son of Anytha Hilyer and John Black. He was born on his father's homestead, lot 14, con. 1, New Survey, King, on Dec. 19, 1866, and lived there until about ten years ago, when he retired. He was the youngest and last surviving member of a family of seven.

One of the best known farmers in the community, he was a noted horse lover and took great pride in his matched Percheron black team. His fame as an expert plowman was widely known, both as a participant and as a judge at plowing matches in his own and adjoining townships over a period of many years. An accomplished musician, he headed an orchestra consisting of his own family and neighbors that was well known for its rendition of old time music.

Surviving him are three daughters, Mrs. L. Lyons and Mrs. Geo. Anning, Newmarket, and Mrs. A. Nicholls, London, and five sons, Chalmers, Edgar and Howard, Kettleby, Frank, Newmarket, and Leonard, North Bay, also 18 grandchildren and eight great-grandchildren.

The funeral service will be held on Friday, Feb. 9, at the chapel of Roadhouse and Ross, Fallrears, will be his five sons and one nephew, Ross Black, Kettleby.

Report To Council Urges Construction Of Vocational Wing

Describing it as a "wonderful opportunity," Deputy-Reeve Arthur D. Evans passed on to council Monday night the recommendation of the Newmarket Citizens' Rehabilitation Committee that a vocational wing be added to Newmarket high school without delay.

A notice of motion approving the recommendation and urging that it be passed on to the Newmarket high school board for immediate action was made by Councillor Jos. Vale. Later in the week however, town solicitor, N. L. Mathews, stated that the report should go first to the high school board, which, if it sees fit, adopts it and then passes it on to council for action.

During discussions in council before this fact was known, the question of whether the proposal to build the vocational wing should be put to the vote of the ratepayers or not, was brought up. Pointing out that the ratepayers had voted against such a proposal seven years ago, Councillor Joel Spillette said, "The ratepayers should have the opportunity to say whether they approve now."

In making his report, Deputy-Reeve Evans, who is also chairman of the rehabilitation committee, described how a sub-committee, chaired by A. N. Belugin, chairman of the high school board, had investigated the cost of a new wing and found that 75 percent of the capital cost would be defrayed by the provincial department of education.

"The rehabilitation committee is convinced of the value of a vocational wing in aiding in the rehabilitation of returned men," said Deputy-Reeve Evans. "Mr. Belugin's committee investigated and found that the plans for the proposed vocational department seven years ago could be used. The cost then was \$24,000 of which half was to be paid by the province. It is estimated that it would cost 50 percent more to erect the same building now but even with this increase, it will cost less to build than seven years ago. The provincial grant is 75 percent and that leaves the town to pay only \$9,000 of the total cost of \$36,000."

"Such a vocational department is needed now," said Councillor Jos. Vale. "The courses that would be taught would not be exhaustive but, rather, supplementary courses designed to round the education of a returned man. Night classes would be held which would not only benefit returned men but anyone else in town anxious to learn a trade."

Third Period Attacks Give Win To Borden, 9-8

By BERNIE GANTNER

For the third time in four home starts, Newmarket army dropped a close 9-8 decision, this time to 10. Advanced in a strategy Camp Borden, at Newmarket last Thursday. Hooking up with "Punchy" Imbach's well-drilled sextet, the No. 23 aggregation was highly favored to take the cake but instead went down to defeat for the seventh time in 13 tries.

Even the presence of a new coach failed to turn the tide. Regt. Sgt. Maj. Sidney Bowman took over the bench-handling assignment, a spot he held two years ago when the unit team swept everything before them in the regular service league schedule, only to lose out to Brampton in a total-goals-to-count series.

At the two-third mark of the contest it appeared as if the new coach would be able to post a win to his credit, the blue and grey being well out in front, 7-2. This five goal commanding lead had been piled up in an opening and middle-period drive, netting three and four goals respectively. No. 23 had by far the better of the territorial play in these two sessions and with a comfortable margin, appeared well on the way to victory.

Borden drew first blood, Jimmy Conacher firing the twine in the opening minutes of play. The blue and gold lost little time in retaliating, Guidolin twice and Life once blinking the red light with but one reply from the visitors. The action was terrific in this period, play raging from one end to the other without let up. Plenty of body checking prevailed with the defence duo of Jack Church, ex-Macleod, and Bud Bowman spilling the Newmarket's right and left. By no means was the heavy hitting confined to these two alone. "Joint" McComb, "Bep" Guidolin, Bill Doyle and "Dutch" Wheeler dished out a fair share of body blows for No. 23. The crowning achievement came when McComb stepped into Church in full flight, sending that individual crashing to the ice with an impact that virtually shook every rattler in the arena.

This ruggedness really took hold in the middle stanza, players being dumped and smashed with damaging consistency. This resulted in a continuous stream of players visiting the penalty slot. Newmarket thrived on the rough going a little better than their opponents, taking time out to sink four counters.

Guidolin, two, Taylor and Callanan were the marksmen. Being ahead 7-2 and having definite superiority, the No. 23 six seemed headed for an easy triumph.

What transpired between the second intermission is beyond the writer's imagination. The game took on an entirely different complexion with the roles of the teams completely reversed. The blue and gold had the situation well in hand during the first two periods, dominating proceedings and forcing the pace practically to their own liking. But now they were confronted by a refreshed Imbach crew which was determined to get back into the running regardless of cost.

It was an inspired bunch that bored in right from the start of the final session, coming through with a sustained attack that overhauled the five goal deficit in short order. Borden with their driving force, practically played Newmarket to a standstill and difficult as it is to admit, the locals dropped into oblivion for the remainder of the engagement. It's hard to imagine such a reversal and orchids can be showered on the shoulders of Gerry Brown and Jimmy Conacher for their inspirational leadership of the final assault on the Newmarket Citadel.

The trio of Conacher-Howson-Brown banged in all seven goals during this drive. Brown grabbed four, Conacher two and Howson salvaged one. With the locals still out in front 8-7, Howson slipped in the equalizer at the 17:35 mark. It was a great uphill fight but the damage wasn't completed yet. At this stage, the homesters took the offensive (more or less to save face) which ended so tragically, in disaster.

In a ganging attack the whole Newmarket team was caught flat-footed up the ice, Conacher intercepted a stray pass, going in on Caswell unmolested for the winning goal. This happened at 17:58. No. 23 made a gallant attempt to get back into the game but their best just wasn't good enough.

For the first time, Brown with five counters to his credit, Conacher three and Howson one, were easily the best performers. Church and Bowman also showed up well. Newmarket goal-getters were Guidolin, four, Taylor, two, Life and Callanan one apiece. Doyle, Wheeler and McComb played strong games.

TAKES NURSE'S COURSE

Miss Shirley Creed entered the Hamilton General hospital in training for a nurse on Tuesday. Miss Creed is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Creed, Newmarket.

ARRIVES HOME

Fit-Lieut. Grant Dillane, who has been overseas for the past two and a half years, arrived home yesterday morning. Mrs. Dillane and young son, Kinsey, have been residing with Mrs. Dillane's mother, Mrs. C. H. Clark.

SOLDIERS' CLUB ENTERED

The Citizen-Soldier club was broken into Monday night and between \$75 and \$80 in cigarettes and razor blades were stolen. Acting Chief Constable James Leeder said. The thieves entered by sawing through the back door lock.

A car, owned by Vice Principal Fred A. Hall was also stolen. The car was recovered later in Belleville.

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East Gwillimbury Red Cross Holds Meeting

The annual meeting of East Gwillimbury branch of the Red Cross was held in the township hall Jan. 30 with Mrs. E. F. Ramsay, president, in the chair. The financial report given by the treasurer, J. Tilley, was splendid. There is a substantial balance on hand; 85 percent of all receipts having been sent to headquarters. Regular blood donors numbered 87.

Articles shipped during the year included: knitted articles, 325; quilts, 225; hospital supplies, 993; civilian, 224; knitted articles sent to township boys, 200.

Officers for the ensuing year are: hon. presidents, Mrs. Frank Tate and Reeve Walter Proctor; pres., Mrs. E. F. Ramsay; vice-presidents, Mrs. W. L. Carruthers, J. L. Smith, Mrs. George Tate, Mrs. T. Swanson, Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Rev. H. Shannon; treas., J. Tilley; sec. and press correspondent, Mrs. E. Phillips; next of kin officer, Mrs. E. F. Ramsay; assistants, the vice-presidents; nurse reserve officer, Mrs. R. J. Rogers; work room committee, Mrs. M. E. Kiteley, Mrs. George Tate, Mrs. Geo. Pearson, Miss Hayes; delegates to provincial council, Mrs. Carruthers, Mrs. Aylward, Mrs. Mahoney, Mrs. Fry, Mrs. Sheppard; fund and campaign committee, Mrs. W. H. Wilmet and J. P. Osborne.

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The store will remain open until 8.30 p.m. on Monday and Tuesday, Feb. 12 and 13, for the benefit of Valentine shoppers.

POTTAGEVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, Springdale, called on Mrs. Smith's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Archibald, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Woods and family, Linton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bunn and family, Newmarket, Aurora, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Paton and Mr. Abraham, Toronto, called on Mr. and Mrs. Elias Paton on Saturday evening. Sunday was Mr. Paton's birthday.

Mrs. Annie Macolony and family of Toronto spent the weekend with Mrs. Macolony's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Airaksinen.

Mrs. S. Groombridge and Mr. and Mrs. William Groombridge called on Mrs. George Wilder and Mrs. Leon. Evans on Jan. 31.

Mr. Ed O'Brien, Toronto, spent the weekend at his home here.

HOLLAND LANDING
Community Association Membership Growing

By H. W. TOMES

The Community Association is getting well into its stride. The enthusiasm is increasing. Like a pebble that is thrown into a placid pool, the ripples are extending to outer boundaries. Within a month of the formation of this association the first objective has been reached, a snow plow purchased and put into operation opening up roads that have been blocked all winter. Now the members have authorized their committee to continue their investigations as to street lights, to designate an area for lighting, gather information regarding installation and maintenance and obtain particulars pertaining to Fire Protection equipment suitable to this village.

There have been more names added to the membership roll and subscriptions are coming in from outlying districts. A \$30 cheque was received from a well wisher in Toronto.

Several members have expressed their appreciation of the publicity given this association by The Era and Express in publishing these comments from time to time. In the past the press has not dealt fairly with this village. The misdeeds of the few have been placed in prominent columns, even violations of the law outside the borders have been cited as within this community while the efforts of the many for the betterment of the village have been ignored. The press can do much towards aiding a progressive movement to succeed. It can also retard success by ignoring these efforts. The Era and Express has been a help to the progressively minded people of Holland Landing and they appreciate it.

Some of the projects the people have in mind will take time before they get under way and it will require unity of effort and lots of "push" before they materialize, other improvements can be more easily acquired and it is these that are being sought while the difficult ones are under consideration.

Many of our boys who are overseas, bearing the heavy end of the burden in fighting for us, will read with interest and pleasure of the efforts being made by those back home to make this old village more attractive, more progressive and a place they will love to call their home town when they return.

There will be a euchre in the school Friday evening, Feb. 9. The proceeds will go to the soldiers' cigaret fund.

Pte. Bob Watson, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at the home of his parents.

LAC and Mrs. Bruce Kitching, Toronto, spent a couple of days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Kitching.

Service in the United church next Sunday will be at 7.30 p.m. The pastor, Rev. Mr. McTavish, will be in charge.

Due to the serious illness of his father, Reynolds Goodwin, Master Jon David Goodwin is Listowel, Master Jon David Goodwin is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Goodwin.

JAANUARY SHIPMENT

During January the Newmarket Red Cross shipped the following to headquarters: 15 girls' combinations, 21 soakers, six prs. booties, four bonnets, 40 diapers, five prs. bloomers, 15 women's dresses, ten grey jumper skirts, ten rose blouses, six blue blouses, five jersey dresses, ten waists and panties.

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- 1 Roan cow, full flow
- 1 Blue cow, due March 1
- 1 Spotted cow, full flow
- 1 Roan heifer, full flow
- 1 Red cow, due Feb. 14
- 1 Holstein cow, 5 years old, due March 1
- 1 Holstein heifer, full flow, 4 years old, bred Nov. 10
- 1 Ayrshire cow, 5 years old, due time of sale
- 1 Red steer, 2 years old
- 1 Red heifer, 2 years old
- 1 Durham bull, 18 months old
- 1 Durham bull, 8 months old
- 3 Roan heifers, 8 months old

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- 1 Percheron mare, 7 years old
- 1 Percheron mare, 8 years old
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- 1 General purpose horse, black, 5 years old
- 1 Belgium mare, 12 years old

HARNESS

- 1 Set breeching harness
- 1 Set of back band harness
- 5 Horse collars

PIGS

- 1 Yorkshire sow, bred Nov. 20
- 1 Yorkshire sow, bred Nov. 29
- 1 Yorkshire sow, bred Dec. 11
- 37 Shoats, about 100 lbs. each

FEED

- Quantity of hay and grain
- Quantity of ensilage

POULTRY

- 2 Geese
- 35 Rock and Leghorn hens

IMPLEMENTS

- 1 Massey-Harris binder, 6 ft. cut
- 1 Deering mower, 5 ft. cut
- 1 Manure spreader, New Idea
- 1 Massey-Harris hoe drill
- 1 Massey-Harris rake, 10 ft.
- 1 Set drag harrows, 4 section
- 1 Single furrow riding plow
- 1 McCormick-Deering walking plow, new
- 1 Wagon, steel and wooden wheels to fit
- 1 Cultivator
- 1 Steel roller, 3 drum
- 1 Spring tooth scuttler
- 1 2-furrow Fleury gang plow
- 1 2-furrow Verly plow
- 2 Scuttlers
- 1 Kidd Kangaroo 2-furrow plow
- 1 Gasoline engine, belts, shafting and pulleys
- 2 Root pulpers
- 1 Hay rack
- 5 Sling ropes
- 1 Fanning mill
- 1 Set scales, Renfrew
- 1 Renfrew separator, like new
- 1 Pig trough, 12 ft.
- 1 Silla, 18 ft. long
- 1 Pig box
- 1 Vice
- 2 Logging chains
- 1 Set sleighs
- 2 Bunches shingles
- 1 Sep pan
- Forks, shovels, brooms and other articles

FURNITURE

- 1 Beach cook stove
- 1 Pandora cook stove
- 1 Heater, Two In One
- 1 Sideboard
- 6 Kitchen chairs
- 1 Four-burner coal oil stove
- 1 Dining-room table
- Several rocking chairs
- Number of other chairs
- 1 Kitchen cabinet
- 1 Flour cabinet
- 1 Hall rack
- 1 Desk with glass door at top
- Beds, springs, mattresses, dressers and washstands
- 1 Hand washing machine
- 1 Churn
- Several small tables
- 2 Congoleum rugs, 9'x12' and 9'x11'
- 1 Felted rug, 9'x12'
- Quantity of dishes

Terms Cash
No reserve as farm has been sold
Sale at 12.30
Auctioneer, FRED SMITH
Clerk, L. R. MOUNT

PLEASANTVILLE
Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Playter, Burlington, are spending this week with Mrs. Chas. Toole and visiting other friends in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Preston and children had Sunday tea at the Greenwood home.

Guests for Sunday tea at the home of Mrs. G. McClure included Rev. and Mrs. R. R. McMath, Newmarket, Mr. Frank Morris, Toronto, and Mrs. A. Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Allen, Petchville, and Mr. Woodbury of Vardorf had Wednesday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan.

Miss Erla Toole gave a birthday party on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Marion Burgin's sixteenth birthday.

Miss Sadie McQueen spent last Wednesday night with Mrs. G. McClure and Miss Dora McClure.

Mrs. Clarence Fisher and little Marlene have returned to Mrs. Fisher's parents' home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Doug. Harrison, at Snowball.

The Bogartown club will meet Thursday night at the school. The program is in the charge of Max Johnson.

Mrs. Roy Harper and baby son returned home on Monday after spending a couple of weeks with Mrs. Harper's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Penrose.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Kay and children and Mrs. Norman Kay spent Sunday at Mr. Arthur Hall's, Sharon.

LOCAL MARKET

There was a fairly large crowd at the local market on Friday afternoon. The farmers brought in a large quantity of poultry for which the buyers paid 31 cents and 32 cents a pound.

Small eggs were 30 cents a dozen, medium eggs were 32 cents a dozen and large eggs were 35 cents a dozen.

Butter was 40 cents a pound.

Carrots were 30 cents a six-quart basket and apples were 35 cents a six-quart basket.

TORONTO MARKETS

On the Toronto markets on Tuesday, butter, creamy solids, No. 1, brought 35 cents a pound, and creamy prints, first grade, were 36½ cents a pound.

Country dealers were quoted on graded eggs, cases free, delivered to Toronto, for grade A large, 35 cents; A medium, 32 cents; A pullets, 26½ to 27 cents a dozen.

Weighty steers were \$10.50 to \$12.50; butcher steers, \$9 to \$11.25; butcher cows, \$7 to \$9.25; canners downward to \$5.50; bulls, \$7.50 to \$9; fed yearlings, \$12 to \$13.50.

Calves sold at \$15 to \$16 for choice, with common vealers downward to \$10. Lambs were \$14 to \$14.50 for good ewes and wethers, \$7 to \$12 for culls.

Sheep were \$3 to \$5 for common to medium.

Hogs brought \$17.75 for grade A dressedweight, and grade B1, \$17.35. Sows were \$13.25 dressedweight.

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AUNT JEMIMA PANCAKE FLOUR	20 OZ.	14c
AUNT JEMIMA BUCKWHEAT PANCAKE FLOUR	20 OZ.	17c
BEEHIVE OR CROWN CORN SYRUP	24 FL. OZ.	23c
GROVES MAPLE SYRUP	12 FL. OZ.	29c
QUICK OR PLAIN ROLLED OATS	3 LBS.	13c
ONTARIO WHITE BEANS	3 LBS.	14c
MAPLE LEAF PURE LARD		17c

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CALIFORNIA ORANGES	200'S	DOZ.	49c
TEXAS MARSH SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT	5 FOR	25c	
LEMONS	10'S	DOZ.	39c
DELICIOUS APPLES	10'S	DOZ.	39c
NEW TEXAS CABBAGE		11	5c
CALIFORNIA CARROTS	2 BUNCHES	15c	
ICEBURG LETTUCE	2 HEADS	19c	
TEXAS SPINACH	2 LBS.	23c	

COMMERCIAL QUALITY MEATS

SIRLOIN STEAK or ROAST	11	41c
PORTERHOUSE ROAST		11 41c
ROUND STEAK or ROAST		11 37c
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SILVERBRIGHT BY THE PIECE SALMON		11 23c
SMOKED FILLETS		11 35c

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Story Of Dr. Wassell Offered Contestants

Nineteen contestants sent in correct sets of answers to last week's classified word contest, despite the fact that three of the puzzle words had errors in them.

Mrs. Elias Smart, 1 Tecumseh St., Mrs. F. Carley, Marion Rose, M. Boyd and Alma Freshwater, all of Newmarket, have the most correct answers to their credit in the puzzle editor's file and so will receive double passes to the Strand theatre, which may be picked up any evening at the theatre.

Rebellious Daughters, with Marjorie Andrews, and an American Romance, starring Brian Donlevy, on Tuesday, Feb. 13, or Dr. Skeffington, starring Bette Davis, and The Curse of the People, starring Simone Simon, on Thursday, Feb. 15, are the programs offered to these five winners. They may attend either evening.

The correct answers were: hauling, harness, accommodation, brown, truck, background, downstairs, engraving, seventeen, buffet.

THIS WEEK'S CONTEST

The five winners of double passes to this week's contest may have their choice of the program at the Strand theatre on Tuesday, Feb. 20, or Thursday, Feb. 22. The Story of Dr. Wassell, starring Gary Cooper and Laraine Day, is featured for Tuesday, Feb. 20. Hail the Conqueror, starring Eddie Bracken and Ella Raines, and Laura, starring Gene Tierney and Dana Andrews, is billed for Thursday, Feb. 22.

Entries must reach The Era and Express office by 9:30 Tuesday morning. If more than one entry is received from any one household, both entries will be disqualified. The entry must be in the contestants' own handwriting.

Contestants are asked to send their entries in on a slip of paper two and a half inches by four and a half inches (2½" x 4½").

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Hi-Lights FROM N.H.S. BY D.W.

The final hockey game with Pickering College was played Monday. As Miss Roberts said, the finances must be looking up as there was no admission charge. Pickering was defeated 7-0.

Last Thursday the senior and junior boys' teams played Pickering basketball teams in the home gym. The juniors won 23-7 and the seniors 26-10.

Tuesday, girls' senior basketball team lost to Aurora 19-17; juniors won 17-10. Boys' senior basketball team lost to St. Andrew's 13-23; juniors lost 17-32.

Miss Roberts, English teacher, is planning a debate to take place at assembly on Friday. At the same assembly Shirley Geer of third form will sing.

Forms 9, A, B and C are planning a sleigh ride for next Friday and are trying to procure two teams of horses and sleighs for the event.

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to extend my heartfelt thanks to all who have been so kind to me during my illness. Especially I want to thank the nurses of York County Hospital and Dr. L. W. Dales. Trevor Shier, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Shier.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ross and family wish to thank the Newmarket fire brigade, town churches, neighbors of the north end and all who so kindly helped in any way following the recent fire.

CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Wm. Coyle wishes to express her gratitude to her many friends and neighbors for their acts of kindness and donations given her since her recent fire. She would also like to thank the Newmarket fire brigade for their assistance.

SALE REGISTER

Friday, Feb. 23—Auction sale of horses, cattle, swine, poultry, hay, implements and household furniture, the property of John B. Illingworth, at lot 9, con. 7, East Gwillimbury, one quarter mile south of Mount Albert on 8th highway. Sale at one o'clock. Terms cash. No reserve as Mr. Illingworth is giving up farming. Stanley Miller, auctioneer, Zephyr. c2w2

NOTICE

The annual general meeting of members of the York County Hospital Corporation will be held in the council chambers, Newmarket, on Friday, Feb. 16, at 8 o'clock p.m.

On behalf of the board, W. A. Spear, Secretary-Treasurer. c2w1

CLASSIFIEDS - PHONE 780

WANTED-ADS

The rate for "classifieds" is 50 cents for 25 words for one insertion; 65 cents for two insertions; 75 cents for three insertions. For over 25 words, each additional word, one insertion, one cent; additional insertions, one-half cent per insertion. Deduct 25 cents for payment within a week. Ten cents for the use of a box number; ten cents for mailing replies.

HOUSE FOR SALE

For sale—Six-roomed frame house. Central. Hardwood floors downstairs. Bath. Wired for electric range. Apply 20 Victoria Ave., Newmarket. *2w1

WANTED TO RENT

Wanted to rent—Downstairs flat. Lady and one child. Apply Era and Express box 910. *1w2

Wanted to rent—House in Newmarket. Les Beazer, manager Newmarket arena, phone 619, Newmarket. c3w2

REAL ESTATE WANTED

Wanted to buy—House in Newmarket. About six rooms, in good repair, all conveniences, preferably west side. Will give substantial payment or cash. Apply P.O. box 895, Newmarket. *1w2

Wanted to rent or buy—Modern home in Newmarket. State price and all particulars. Write Era and Express box 911. c1w2

ROOMS FOR RENT

For rent—Two furnished rooms suitable for light housekeeping. Apply Era and Express box 909. *2w1

ARTICLES FOR SALE

For sale—Bedding and household furniture. 64 Andrew St., or phone 304m, Newmarket. *3w2

For sale—Lady's tube skates with high top white boots, size 8, newly sharpened. One pair child's brown rubber boots to be worn over shoes, size 9. One girl's two-piece, maroon snow suit with fur fabric collar, size 4. All in good condition. 79 Andrew St., Newmarket. *1w2

For sale—Pair men's boots and skates, size 8. In good condition. Phone 527, Newmarket. *1w2

For sale—Electric rangette, two burners, full sized oven. Good condition. 19 Niagara St., Newmarket. *3w2

For sale—Three-piece chesterfield suite. Wine and green. Apply 149 Main St. N., Newmarket. *2w1

For sale—Household effects for very room in the home. Furniture, stoves, glassware, china, beds, lectures, silverware, men's, women's and children's clothing, etc. Everything in good condition. 206 Main St., Newmarket, phone Newmarket 152j. c3w1

PRODUCE

For sale—Fresh eggs. Daily. Apply Leo Ross at Adams' Barber Shop, Newmarket. *2w2

MERCHANDISE

For sale—We have a complete stock including a large shipment of packs. Stewart Beare, 113 Main St., or phone 355, Newmarket. *1w2

RADIO BATTERIES

For sale—Our stock is almost complete, including 12AGT, 35L5GT, 24A, etc. Stewart Beare, 113 Main St., phone 355, Newmarket. *1w2

RADIO TUBES

For sale—Nice birthday or Valentine gifts. See Cliff Insley's, he sure has the gifts to please dad, brother or sonny. Remember him Feb. 14. c1w2

SALE-AT INSELY'S

For sale—At Inseley's. Men's chambray vests, sheepskin fur-lined, ideal for work, sport. Splendid for body comfort. The secret is they are windproof, coldproof and frostproof. c1w51

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For sale—At Inseley's. Ski caps. Why let a little cold weather bother your ears. Procure real comfort and prevent ear trouble, boys and men. c1w51

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For sale—At Inseley's. Why squawk about the cold? Buy men's heavy, English hairline and mackinaw pants. Ideal for cold weather. They are coldproof. c1w51

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For sale—Boys' breeches. At Inseley's. So comfy and warm, whipcord, blue freize, khaki. Reinforced and the old reliable Humphrey's. Wear more quality. c1w51

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19A USED CAR WANTED

Wanted to buy—For cash. Good used cars, any make, any model. Phone 777 Newmarket. t144

HELP WANTED

Male

Kitchen worker for school near Aurora. Live in; good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. War workers not eligible. t12

HELP WANTED

Female

Maid for school near Aurora. Live in, good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. t12

HELP WANTED

Male

Truck driver for boys' school near Live in; good accommodation. Apply Selective Service, Newmarket. War workers not eligible. t12

WORK WANTED

Work wanted—In afternoons. 130 to 6. Write P.O. box 535, Newmarket. *1w2

LOST

Lost—A black spaniel wearing red collar. Very timid. Answers to name "Lassie". Apply Darlene Atkinson, 27 Centre St., Aurora. *1w2

LOST

Lost—Boy's bicycle with carrier. Taken from outside Royal theatre, Aurora, Saturday afternoon. Anyone knowing whereabouts kindly phone Aurora 231. *1w2

LOST

Lost—Male hound, black and white with tan head. Last seen Dec. 31, 1944, on highway between Whitechurch and East Gwillimbury. Finder get in touch with Edges Pegg, Sharon, or phone Mount Albert 406. *2w2

LOST

Lost—31x20 truck tire. Between Stanley Terry's, con. 5, King twp., and Glenview. Tues., Jan. 30, around 4 p.m. Alfred Lewis, Triangle Service Station, phone Newmarket 202w1. c2w1

FOUND

Found—Hound. Female. Mostly white. Small black spots on body. Brown spots on legs. Brown and white head. Apply L. Farr, Sharon, phone Queensville 404. c2w1

FARM ITEMS

Wanted to buy—Small cutting box. Phone Newmarket 174w1 or enquire Miss Atkins, Armitage. c1w2

URGENT

To secure your supply of Shur-Gain fertilizer order now. It is put up in five-ply moisture resistant bags. Other people are ordering, why not you? Phone Queensville 3000, Don P. Smith, your Shur-Gain dealer. c1w51

Why not have your hay and straw baled?

First class service given. Power, press, wire and men supplied. Apply E. Goodwin, Holland Landing, phone Newmarket 438j1. c3w2

WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Hardwood and cedar kindling. Cut in stove lengths. Delivered. Apply Garret Fairbairn, Sharon, or phone Queensville 1709. t118

WOOD FOR SALE

For sale—Dry, body hardwood. First class assortment dry stove wood, consisting of birch, elm, ash, cedar, poplar. Delivered. Apply I. G. Arnold, Queensville, phone 3100. *6w1

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For sale—Full grown rabbits. Apply evenings. Leon Holman, 7 Wells St., Aurora. *1w2

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31 MISCELLANEOUS

For exchange—60-cycle Norge refrigerator. Late model, 63 cubic feet, will trade for 25-cycle. Howard Brice, Newmarket. c1w2

THE BEST BRONCHIAL COUGH SYRUP

For coughs, colds and bronchitis. A prompt and effective remedy for the relief of bronchitis, tight or chesty coughs and colds. 50 cents. The Best Drug Store, Newmarket. t148

Wanted to buy—Fox feed.

Old horses, dead horses, dead cows. We pay for the dead animals if they are fit for our use. Advise immediately as dead stock soon spoils. G. B. Thompson, Holland Landing, phone 511j, Newmarket. t149

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It imparts pep to the stomach, stimulating digestive juices, improves appetite, wakes up liver checks the sluggish action of the intestines, makes you happy, helps the blood circulation, makes you tingle with life and glad to be alive. 75 cents, \$1.50. Best Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t149

For rent—Hospital beds and wheel chairs.

Theater & Son, Mount Albert, or phone Mount Albert 3503. t152

For sale—Trusses, surgical supports, elastic hosiery, for those who suffer from varicose veins, and knee troubles. Arch supports. Lumbago belts. Best's Drug Store, phone 14, Newmarket. t152

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Wanted—Dead horses and cattle.

For free pick-up. Phone Newmarket 79. We pay phone charges. Gordon Young Ltd., Toronto, phone AD3988. c1w50

Wanted—Cats (full grown) and dogs (small adults only).

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Lewis Coombs, north Main St., Newmarket, phone Newmarket 612j. c1w2

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In Memoriam

Brown—In loving memory of my dear dad, Peter Brown, who passed away Feb. 11, 1944. Gone from us, but leaving memories that can never take away. Memories that will always linger. While upon this earth we stay. Ever remembered by his daughter, Myrtle.

Brown—In loving memory of a dear grandfather and great-grandfather, Peter Brown, who passed away Feb. 11, 1944. None knew him but to love him. None named him but in praise. Ever remembered by his daughter, Frances and family.

Chapman—In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Sarah Victoria Chapman, who passed away Feb. 5, 1938, also our dear father and grandfather, Murdoch South Chapman, who passed away Oct. 2, 1939. There is a link death cannot sever. Love and remembrance last forever. Sadly missed by Beale, Frank and family.

Davis—In loving memory of my mother, Ethel Davis, who passed away Jan. 31, 1944. Dear is the grave where my mother was laid. Dear is the memory that never shall fade. Sweet is the hope that again we shall meet. Kneeling together at Jesus' feet. Sadly missed and ever remembered by daughter, Viola, and family.

Graham—In loving memory of a dear father, Allen Graham, who passed away Feb. 12, 1944. Borne away from sin and sorrow To a better home above. Sadly missed by Roy and family.

Thompson—In loving memory of Mrs. Geo. H. Thompson, who passed away Feb. 5, 1943. In our hearts your memory lingers. Sweetly tender, fond and true; There is not a day, dear mother, That we do not think of you. Always remembered by Beatrice, Byron and family, Queensville.

BIRTHS

Drury—At the Mayfair hospital, Toronto, on Wednesday, Feb. 7, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Drury, a daughter.

Graham—At Toronto General hospital, Burnside Wing, on Friday, Jan. 26, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Graham (Florence Woolven), a daughter, Donna Marie.

Lloyd—At Schomberg, on Wednesday, Jan. 31, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Lloyd, a daughter.

McNeill—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1945, to Bugler and Mrs. Alfred McNeill, Newmarket, a daughter.

Mitchell—At York County hospital, Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mitchell, Keswick, a daughter.

Stevenson—At the Toronto West-end hospital, on Friday, Feb. 2, 1945, to Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stevenson (Alfreda Westgate), Keswick, a daughter, Gloria Alfreda.

DEATHS

Ashworth—Suddenly, on Jan. 19, 1945, at his residence, 1324 St. David St., Victoria, B.C., John Ashworth. He is survived by his widow (Margaret E. Evans, Newmarket), two brothers, J. J. Ashworth and E. M. Ashworth, both of Toronto, one sister, Mrs. L. M. Hirschner, Vancouver, and one sister-in-law, Mrs. T. N. Willing.

Black—On Tuesday, Feb. 6, 1945, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. George W. Anning, Newmarket, John Black, husband of the late Martha Jane Stephenson, in his 89th year.

The funeral service will be held Friday, Feb. 9, at 2 p.m. at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose. Interment Newmarket cemetery.

Crickmore—Suddenly, at St. Joseph's hospital, Toronto, on Friday, Feb. 2, 1945, as the result of a car accident, Joanna Ruth (Jo), daughter of Sydney Magrath and Evelyn Hawkes Crickmore, Lakewood Ave., Clarkson, in her 16th year.

The funeral service was held in Port Perry on Tuesday afternoon. Interment Spring Creek cemetery, Clarkson.

Dales—At Newmarket on Sunday, Feb. 4, 1945, Helena Plath Dales, wife of the late Professor John Nelson Dales.

The funeral service was held at the chapel of Roadhouse and Rose on Wednesday afternoon. Interment Park Lawn cemetery, Toronto.

Ireland—At her late residence, Young St., Aurora, on Monday, Feb. 5, 1945, Jane Cameron, wife of the late Jesse Ireland and mother of (Barbara), Mrs. W. Bryson, (Elizabeth), Mrs. N. Bryson, and (Marjorie), the late Mrs. Charles Badger.

The funeral service was held at her late residence this afternoon. Interment King cemetery.

NORTH GWILLIMBURY

RED CROSS REPORTS

HOPE

Among those who quitted and were dinner guests on Wednesday at Mrs. A. Brennan's were: Miss Maud Fairbairn, Mrs. M. Hall, Mrs. G. Broderick, Mrs. R. Stickwood, Mrs. M. L. Pegg, Mrs. S. Stickwood, Mrs. A. Dike and Mrs. Everton Pegg.

Mr. A. Gibson, Mr. J. Gibson and Miss Amy Gibson were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pegg.

Miss Greta Gibson, Newmarket, spent the weekend at her home. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Postage and family were supper guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Mount.

Mrs. Grace Allison was a supper guest on Saturday of Mr. and Mrs. Edna Evans, Sharon.

Miss Brookfield spent the weekend with Miss Evelyn Murrell, Sharon.

Mrs. Bruce Harrison, Newmarket, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Pegg and Grace were Sunday supper guests at Jack Pegg's home.

MAGISTRATE'S COURT JUDGMENT SUSPENDED IN THEFT CHARGE

In magistrate's court here on Tuesday, Magistrate W. F. Woodliffe suspended judgment on a charge of theft against James Boyd, Newmarket, for one week. His worship advised the defendant to permit Mrs. Ethel Gunn, Newmarket, to enter his premises in order to obtain certain articles belonging to her late mother and which she claimed now belonged to her and her brother.

Mrs. Gunn testified that her mother, who was 84 when she died, had rented a room from Mr. Boyd previous to her death in October. After her mother's death, the witness stated, the defendant locked the door of her room and refused the witness entrance. She said that later he allowed her to enter the room and pack some of the dishes. She said that she went to Mr. Boyd's house "a dozen times" to remove the furniture but that the house was locked and the accused away.

Asked by Magistrate Woodliffe what articles were in the room, she stated that there were two stoves, a sideboard, a number of kitchen chairs, a bed of cloth, dishes, cooking utensils and other articles of furniture.

Questioned by Joseph Vale, counsel for the defence, Mrs. Gunn stated that she and her brother were the only heirs to her mother's furniture. She said that her mother's rent had been paid up to Nov. 10.

Mr. Vale said that accused was prepared to return the articles and had no intention of keeping them. He questioned accused who stated that he had left the house open for Mrs. Gunn after her mother's death but that after that he had been working and could not leave the house open as there was no one on the premises. He denied refusing admittance and stated that the furniture was of no use to him. He promised to be at home at the chairman called for the articles that afternoon.

Found guilty on charge of grabbing his mother-in-law by the throat, Henry Edwards, Newmarket, was bound over for one year to the sum of \$50 to keep the peace. The defendant pleaded guilty to the charge of assault.

According to Mrs. Eva Mills, her son-in-law came to her home in the evening of Jan. 29 to see his wife. She said that her daughter refused to see him and that she and the accused discussed the matter. She said that, as he was leaving he grabbed her by the throat. She picked up a milk bottle off the verandah and threw it after him, she said.

Questioned by Crown Attorney Arleigh Armstrong, Mrs. Mills said that she had not received any serious injuries, that he had only made a grab for her neck and that she pulled away.

In his defence accused said that he grabbed for his mother-in-law's throat in self defence as she had threatened him with the milk bottle. He said that he and his wife were separated.

"You had no right to lay hands on your mother-in-law," Magistrate Woodliffe admonished the defendant. "If you should not go to her home unless invited and if you are invited you should leave when she tells you to. And keep your hands to yourself."

Found guilty on a charge of failing to have marker lights on a truck, Coville Transport, Toronto, was fined one dollar and costs. Provincial Constable William A. Melbourne laid the charge.

At the request of the crown, Magistrate Woodliffe adjourned for one week the case of Pte. W. White, Newmarket military camp, charged on three counts with cashing worthless cheques in the amount of ten dollars each. The defendant was allowed bail of \$300.

POSTMASTER DIES

The post office at Jefferson is temporarily closed owing to the death of postmaster Charles Robinson. Residents of the district are receiving their mail at Elgin Mills.

this very important work.

Rev. Lapp presided for the election of officers for 1945. New officers are: Hon. presidents, Reeve Ross MacMillan, J. Hopkins, Rev. R. Serriek, Rev. Stephenson, Rev. G. Lapp, W. Marriott, R. Davidson, Rex Frost, Toronto; pres., Mrs. Wm. Valli; vice-presidents, Mrs. Charles Hodgins, Mrs. J. Whittaker, Mrs. W. King, Mrs. M. Sedore; rec. sec., Miss Roslyn Van Norman; corr. sec., Miss Ella Morton; treas., Mrs. P. Mahoney; work convenor, Mrs. P. Walker; supervisor, Miss Eva Gilroy; convener of transport, Wm. Purdy;

Entertainment, Mr. and Mrs. W. Davison; finance, C. Grant; salvage, George White, soldiers' comforts, Mrs. C. Grant; cigars and papers, P. Mahoney; next-of-kin liaison officer, Rev. G. Lapp; campaign manager, P. Mahoney; auditors, F. Peel and W. Valli.

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SERVING AURORA AND DISTRICT

John Crawford Suffers Burns, Car Is Destroyed

Clerk John Crawford of Whitchurch township had a narrow escape last Thursday afternoon when his car was completely destroyed by fire. Mr. Crawford suffered severe shock and burns on the hands, face, and head. It is expected he will be confined to York County hospital for another week.

According to information available, Mr. Crawford left the township offices shortly before 3 p.m. to drive to Stouffville to do municipal banking and other business. With the fourth and fifth concessions presenting traffic difficulties, he set out for Stouffville by the sixth concession. Near the Murphy farm his car stalled. After Mr. Crawford

had stepped on the starter, the car backfired and almost immediately flames broke through into the rear part spreading to all parts of the automobile.

Roy Morley, who was en route to get the mail, noticed the blazing car and sped to the scene where he found Mr. Crawford in a dazed condition in the snow beside the car. He applied first aid and summoned Dr. J. L. Urquhart. Mr. Crawford, after receiving treatment was rushed to York County hospital, where he was in a serious condition until the weekend. Dr. Urquhart paid tribute to the work of Mr. Morley and other neighbors.

Garfield Case, Aurora Boy, Wins By-Election

Garfield Case, a former Aurora boy, was elected federal member for the riding of Grey North last Monday in the by-election attempt to secure a seat for the minister of national defence, Gen. A. G. L. McNaughton.

Mr. Case secured a substantial majority over Gen. McNaughton, Liberal, and Air Marshal Earl Godfrey, C.C.F. Mr. Case took the lead early in the returns and was never headed. He carried the heaviest vote in practically every part of the riding. The campaign saw the Progressive Conservative leader, John Bracken, and the C.C.F. leader, J. L. Coldwell, in action. Hon. Colin Gibson and Hon. W. P. Mulock headed the government speakers. The new member of parliament is 45. He is married and has two children. In private life he is a district insurance manager. He was born near Aurora, his father being the late William Case, who at one time resided on the present See farm. His mother and two brothers, Lorne and Lance, reside in the district. He was educated at Aurora and served with the R.A.F. in the last war. For some years he resided in Bradford, moving to Owen Sound around 14 years ago, where he was mayor on three successive occasions. He is past president of the Ontario Mayors' Association and the Owen Sound Board of Trade.

Mr. Case is expected to take his seat in the house of commons when the present prorogued session is resumed.

MONTGOMERY IS STAR

St. Andrew's College prep school hockey team dropped two more O.H.A. contests. They were defeated at Maple Leaf Gardens by De La Salle Oaklands, 9-0, on Saturday and lost to St. Michael's College on Monday.

Montgomery, the classy college netminder, was the star of both games. In the St. Mike's game he received a nasty head cut when he stopped a puck and was forced to retire. Shortly, who relieved him, played a fine game. The college will meet Joe Primeau's Upper Canada team at the Aurora arena on Saturday afternoon.

WIN BOTH GAMES

St. Andrew's College dropped two prep school basketball contests to Pickering College at Newmarket last Thursday. Pickering staged a garrison finish to take the junior game 22-21, after St. Andrew's had led all the way until the final two minutes.

With Ben Budgdon showing his mates the way with 14 points, the grey and blue seniors had little difficulty with the Andean seniors, winning 29-12. It was Pickering's third straight win and sent them to the top of the prep school group.

UNION STREET

The February meeting of the Union Street Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Irving Rose on Feb. 1 despite snow-blocked roads.

Mrs. Douglas Beckett president, opened the meeting with the Institute Ode, followed by the Creed.

All enjoyed the roll-call which was answered by a hat speech.

The secretary's report was given and declared approved.

Birthday greetings were extended to Miss Violet Micks and Mrs. Pat Murphy.

Letters of thanks were received from overseas from Aubrey Scott and Malcolm Love for their Christmas boxes.

Word has been received from Bob Weir, Peterborough, and D. MacMillan for two dirty bags.

It was decided to send \$10 to the prisoner of war parcels, Red Cross.

The program opened with community singing. Mrs. Roy Cowles gave a paper on education. Mrs. Harold Bray gave an instrumental. Mrs. Sedore gave a current events paper.

All enjoyed a social half-hour. A dainty lunch brought the meeting to a close.

Miss Orma Graves has been ill.

Mrs. Tom Swanson and Mrs. Lillian Johnston spent a couple of days in Toronto recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Parry, Toronto, and Pte. Slim Graves, Camp Borden, spent the weekend with Mrs. Slim Graves.

WITH THE FORCES

OS Douglas Clarke, Halifax, N.S., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clarke. He is awaiting another posting.

LAW Margaret Madren, R.C. A.F. (W.D.), of Bradford, who was employed for over a year in an Aurora store and was secretary of the Aurora United church Y.P.U. at the time of her enlistment, is serving overseas.

Major Gerry Goodman, auxiliary services officer, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Lorne Hillis, Utopia, New Brunswick, spent the weekend at his home.

Pte. Maurice Dodd is now stationed at Camp Borden.

Lieut. Col. C. R. Boulding, London military hospital, spent the weekend at his home.

LAC Vern Powell, Fingal, Ont., spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. William Cameron.

Pte. Howard Pattenden, Hamilton, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Pattenden.

Sgt. Sam Stephenson is overseas.

Pilot Officer Gordon Baker, Stouffville, is home from overseas because of illness. PO Baker is a former member of C. Coy, Queen's York Rangers, and is a brother of Mrs. Jane Easterbrook of Aurora.

C. Coy, Queen's York Rangers, has received a grant from regimental funds to provide refreshments for the men each Thursday night. Many of the members of the company travel miles to attend the parades and now enjoy meat pies, doughnuts and coffee before proceeding home.

Cpl. Ben Harrison is in charge of arrangements.

Cpl. Clark Archibald, R.C.A.F., King, is now stationed at Oshawa.

Cpl. Ken McDonald, Newmarket, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McDonald.

Pte. Ross Walton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walton, Kettleby, is now stationed with the Infantry at Camp Ipperwash.

Sgt. Jim Duckenfield, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

LAC Bruce Richardson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Richardson, has been transferred from Edmonton, Alta., to the R.C.A.F. centre at Grande Prairie, Alta.

Fit-Sgt. Douglas Knowles, R.C. A.F., Hagersville, spent the weekend at his home.

Sgt. Clifford Corbett, Camp Borden, spent the weekend at his home.

Mrs. Claude White has received word from her husband, Pte. Claude White, that he is in hospital in England suffering from a knee infection.

The Y.P.U. of Aurora United church held a quiz on classical literature in the church parlors on Monday evening. Miss Joan Harrison, culture convenor, presided, assisted by Bob Walker.

A brief recreational period closed the evening.

AURORA, ONTARIO, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 8TH, 1945

COLLECT SALVAGE

A third of a carload of paper and cardboard was received in the Aurora board of trade salvage drive in aid of the war memorial fund on Saturday. Collections from the stores are made every three weeks. A general collection will be made early in April.

Social and Personal

Mr. Harold LaValle, Toronto, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James LaValle.

Miss Elizabeth Wilcox, University of Toronto, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Linton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Knowles and Mrs. N. F. Johnson spent Sunday at Camp Borden with Major N. F. Johnson.

Members of Ward Two Progressive Conservative association held a successful euchre in the clubrooms on Wednesday evening.

Miss Mabel Ough, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ough.

Lieut. Mel Sinn, Camp Borden, spent Saturday with Sgt. and Mrs. T. A. M. Hulse.

Miss Ruth DeLaHaye, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy DeLaHaye.

Mrs. A. W. Boland spent Sunday at Camp Borden with Capt. A. W. Boland.

David Harrison, who recently suffered a leg wound as a result of a rifle exploding, is convalescing nicely at his home, but will be confined to bed for the next six weeks.

Miss Lavilla Hamer, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hamer.

The junior classes of Aurora United church held a skating party at Aurora arena last Friday evening, returning to the church parlors for refreshments afterwards.

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Mr. and Mrs. Earle Quinn have purchased the Henry Holder residence at the corner of Temperance and Tyler Sts.

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WEDS IN ENGLAND

Cpl. Thos. C. Raeside, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Raeside, Aurora, was married at Christ church, Woking, Surrey, England, on Saturday, Feb. 3, to Iris Hutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Hutt, Woking, Surrey. Cpl. Raeside is convalescing from wounds received in action in France last August.

RED SHIELD SHIPMENT

The January overseas shipment of the Red Shield Auxiliary of the Aurora Salvation Army consisted of the following articles: ten quilts, 31 prs. socks, six sweaters, two scarves, four helmets, one pr. gloves, four pr. mitts, one dress, three turtle-neck chest protectors, one pr. boy's shoes, one pr. boy's over-shoes, one pr. women's shoes, one box children's garments, one box used clothing for Russian relief.

Major A. J. Whitfield, officer in charge of the Salvation Army, attributed the success of the shipment to the energetic effort of the Red Shield workers throughout the district.

Era and Express classifieds bring finder and loser together.

KEITH KYLE IS STAR IN LIONS HOCKEY GAME

Aurora Lions juvenile hockey team made their first outside start of the season on Friday when they journeyed to Bradford to meet the Bradford juvenile Lions. The contest ended in a 3-3 tie. Bradford boys are bigger than the Aurora youngsters. Play was about even.

Bradford had the best of the play in the first period but were bested by the sterling net-minding of Keith Kyle. The only score went to Aurora from the stick of Bill McGhee. Aurora added two more in the second, via Ronnie Simmons and Gene Rose, with Kyle still kicking them out in great style, especially when Bradford had the advantage with Rose and Simmons penalized.

The third period saw Bradford put on a blazing offensive which netted three goals, James getting two and Coates the other. For Bradford, their two scorers, and Kapisak and Irwin Collings were standouts. The line of Nigh, Brodie and Rose looked especially good for Aurora. Kyle, in the nets, was the star of the game.

Bradford: goal, Motta; defence, Kuhlha, James, Fuller, Simurda; forwards, Collings, McEvoy, Coates, Lundy, Kapisak and Fuller.

Aurora: goal, Kyle; defence, Doolittle, Patrick, Southwood; forwards, McGhee, Simmons, Davis, E. Rose, Nigh, Brodie, Holman, Attridge, B. Rose.

WHITE ROSE SCHOOL IS DESTROYED BY FIRE

School children from the White Rose school, which was destroyed by fire last week, are attending classes in Mount Pisgah United church Sunday-school. No decision regarding rebuilding the school has been made by the trustees of the section. Some of the ratepayers are of the opinion that the school might amalgamate with the school on the Lake Wilcox road about a mile away, with transportation being provided. The matter will be discussed before any decision is arrived at.

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WITH THE CHURCHES

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The Evening Auxiliary of Aurora United church met on Tuesday evening in the church parlors. Mrs. Gordon Agnew, Toronto, was the guest speaker.

A special C.G.I.T. service will be held Sunday morning at Aurora United church, when the Aurora C.G.I.T. will attend in a body.

Church membership classes are being held at Aurora high school Monday afternoons, the church parlors Monday evening, and St. Andrew's College on Tuesdays by Rev. Roy Hicks. There is a splendid attendance.

CONVENTION IS FRIDAY

The annual convention of the North York Temperance Federation will be held in Aurora United church on Friday, Feb. 9. The business session and election of officers will be held at 4 p.m. Supper will be served at 6.30 p.m. In the evening an oratorical contest, open to the Sunday-schools of North York, will commence at 8 o'clock.

SISTER DIES

Mrs. Grace Margaret Mighton, wife of the late Roy Mighton and a sister of John Mundell, Wells St., Aurora, died in Toronto, on Sunday. Mrs. Mighton was a native of Unionville and is survived by a sister, Mrs. Jennie Kilpatrick, as well as her brother. The funeral service was held in Toronto on Wednesday, with interment at Union cemetery, Claremont.

Broken Main Cuts Off Aurora Water Supply

A good part of the municipality was without water for some hours when a water main broke on Yonge St. on Friday afternoon. The break was believed to have been caused by frost heaving the base of a hydrant. Late in the afternoon water was made available briefly to all parts of the town.

Eight town employees worked in close to zero weather from the afternoon through the night. Water was available to all on Saturday morning. Charles Copland, water superintendent, said that if the need had arisen in case of fire or other emergency, plenty of water could have been made available by use of the booster.

The unexpected decrease in pressure, which resulted in no water for most, had housewives improvising for the evening meal and brought hundreds of telephone calls to central and the town offices.

In the minds of most the situation was an argument in favor of the creation of a large reservoir to hold a reserve of water, which was advocated by Fire Chief Harry Jones, Capt. Stewart Patrick and Councillor A. N. Fisher at nomination.

Believing his water pipes to be frozen when the break in the town main caused decreased pressure, Thomas Graham, Centre St., applied a blow torch to his water pipes on Friday afternoon. When the pipes became overheated a small blaze ensued, which the Aurora fire brigade handled with ease.

At council meeting Monday night, it was decided to hold a committee meeting to investigate why water crisis were not met more promptly by the water department. "I believe the trouble is that the responsibility of the water department is not correctly defined," said Mayor Ross Linton.

Joint Garbage Collection, Disposal, Mooted In Aurora

As a means of dealing with Aurora's garbage disposal problem, Deputy Reeve Asa Cook at Aurora council meeting Monday night suggested that Newmarket, Aurora and Richmond Hill enter a contract with some individual for incinerator disposal service over a period of perhaps five years. "In that way the person who takes on the job would be guaranteed sufficient income to make the venture worthwhile to him," said Deputy Reeve Cook. "It would mean that whoever takes the contract would have to supply trucks and provide an incinerator."

"People in this town are so fed up with our present system of garbage collection, that a change of some kind must be made if it is only for a year," said Councillor R. V. Smith.

Mayor Ross Linton asked Deputy Reeve Cook if he would find out what the costs of such a scheme would be.

Councillor Smith, reporting for the social and sanitation committee, said that the fire hall, Mechanics' hall and the library were in a "disgraceful" condition. "The library was closed two nights last week, not because of the cold outside but for lack of heat in the building," he said. "I suggest that we give a month's notice to the janitor and hire another man."

"Shouldn't we check up on the man who is doing the job now, before making a change?" asked Councillor Wm. West.

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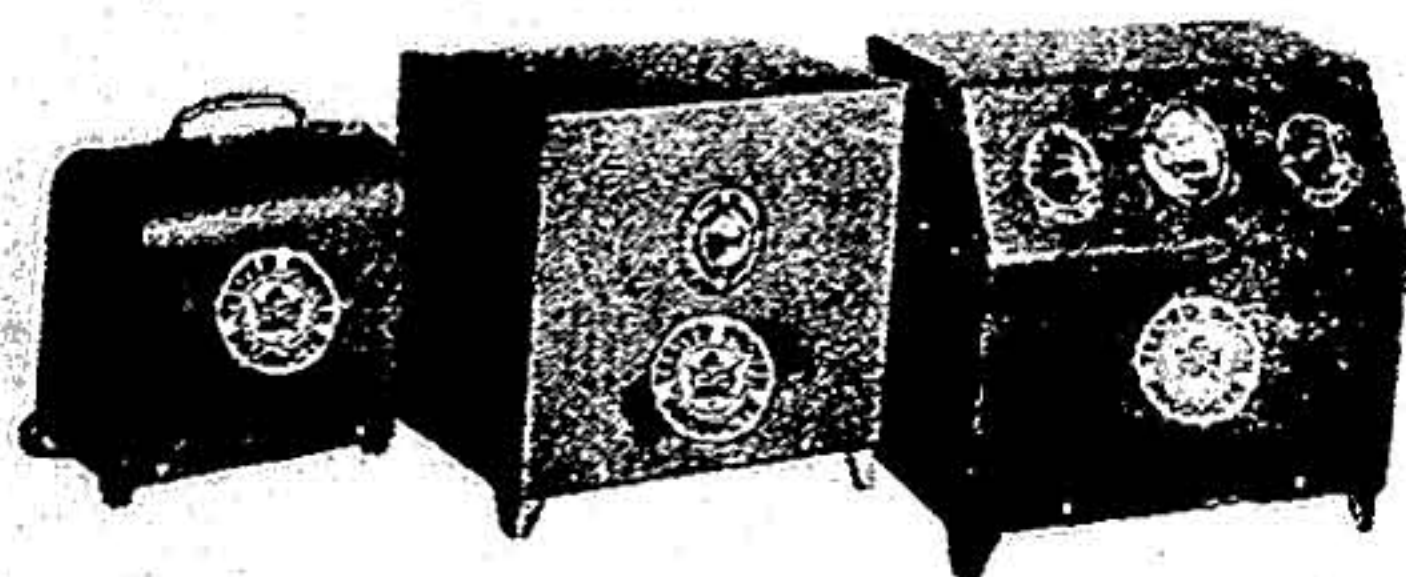
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SCORE IS 8-3 FOR HILL

Richmond Hill school practically won the local secondary hockey group as they blasted Aurora high school 8-3 last week. Aurora were minus the services of their regular goalie, Eric Smith, and defenceman Phil Davidson, but tried hard. Johnny Sullivan, who plays for Richmond Hill juniors, personally accounted for several goals, with another junior, George Rummy, getting the other. Their junior teammate, Bill Mundell, got two of the Aurora goals, with Gar

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ROAD ACCOUNTS FOR 1944 TOTAL \$16,000

East Gwillimbury township council met on Saturday, Feb. 3, in Sharon hall.

Delegates were appointed to the Good Roads and the Association of Rural Municipalities conventions.

The clerk was authorized to purchase stamps and pay the hydro and telephone bills between council meetings.

The road superintendent, L. J. Farr, presented a summary of the 1944 road accounts, amounting to \$16,000.

The council passed a resolution ordering the reeve and clerk to sign the application for the 50 per cent government grant.

The public libraries of Queensville and Mount Albert were given a grant of \$20 each.

It was decided that no maximum or minimum fee would be set for indigent operations but that each case would be dealt with on its own merits.

The budget by-law, for the purpose of road expenditures for the present year, was passed showing a total of \$17,000.

The following officers were appointed by by-law: poundkeepers, Albert Wilton, Seymour Andrews, George Foster, Roy Coates, Eugene Farr, Merland Blanchard, Robert Stickwood, Harry Morton, James Morris, Marvin Rutledge, Jesse Harrison, Gurney Brooks, Carl Moorhead, Wm. Nelson, David Benton, Irwin Rose.

Fence viewers: George Blanchard, Don Kenny, Floyd Cunningham, Stan Eves, Elmer Pollard and G. Marles; sheep valuator, Wm. Croucher.

Accounts passed included: miscellaneous, Mrs. Clark, care of indigent, \$8; Campbell's book store, supplies, \$125; W. R. Ewing, rent of sander, \$7.50; H. Pearson, insurance, \$31; Toronto General hospital, refills, \$8; M. Watson, care of indigent, \$28; Allan Theaker, indigent supplies, \$3.09; G. B. Thompson, sheep claim, \$67; Wm. Sweetie, sheep claim, \$15; W. H. Croucher, sheep valuator, \$10; Edith Wice, care of indigent, \$30; convention fees, \$5.

N. Hoover, wolf bounty, \$10; Dr. G. W. E. Macpherson, medical services, \$39.50; W. H. Eves, hall supplies, \$13.93; Weston hospital, refills, \$6; J. L. Smith, salary, \$125; J. Jardine, salary, \$90; L. J. Farr, salary, \$10.

Relief accounts: G. Tamblin, Ltd., \$32.1; Thos. Andrews, \$23.40; Dominion Stores, \$34; Mrs. N. L. Mathews, \$20; E. P. Crittenden, \$10; North Gwillimbury township, \$32.70; Loblaw Groceries, \$46; Irwin G. Arnold, \$11; S. R. Goodwin, \$38.10; H. J. Kurtz, \$3.65; Geo. Price, \$3.05; K. Ross, \$8; Robt. Davis, \$3.70; J. Malson, \$32; D. Green, \$49; Bruce Rolling, \$22.50; G. R. Goodwin, \$20; Township of King, \$5.03.

Road accounts: machinery repairs, \$433.21; bulldozer, \$1,616; fuel oil and gas, \$55.61; express and travelling expense, \$28.50; contract, snow plowing, \$126.25; snow plowing and shovelling, \$72.65.

A petition was presented by a delegation from north Newmarket for fire protection. A committee was appointed to meet the Newmarket Firemen's committee to discuss the situation.

A petition was presented for the purpose of enforcing the snow shovelling in north Newmarket. It was laid over for legal advice.

The next regular meeting will be held Saturday, March 3, at 10 a.m.

GUEST SPEAKERS

Capt. Evelyn Trunks of the Salvation Army territorial headquarters and Capt. Doris Newton of the Salvation Army divisional headquarters were the guest speakers for Saturday evening and all day Sunday at the Salvation Army Citadel. They also spoke to the Sunday-school children giving them a lesson on a flannelgraph board.

HELP FUND

The Newmarket Veterans' Soldiers' Comforts fund has received a gift of \$9.40 from the Royal Blue Lodge and \$1 from A Friend.

DOWN THE CENTRE

Brantford camp will be the guests at Newmarket arena tonight in a series which we suggested in this column a few weeks ago because we knew it would be a dilly. There is no gainsaying the fact that in all branches of the army sport in Military District 2, Brantford camp and Newmarket camp dominate the scene and are the principal rivals for supremacy. In football last year the two centres ended up in a tie. In basketball this year No. 20 and No. 23 have broken even with that series to be resumed. Now they will meet for the first time on the ice and a stand-out series should result.

Brantford have been playing service teams from the district on artificial ice all season and in addition a regular league of various teams. In the Brantford city league. There are not as many players in their teams as in Newmarket but as the fans know from experience, there are many players who have the ability but didn't have the chance, because of the war, to hit the headlines. Murray Dowe, who had a trial with the Leafs and is one of the best goalies in the amateur ranks today, will give the Brants plenty of good goal coverage. Murray is also one of Ontario's best football hurlers, the natural successor to Cam. Ecclestone and Ab Grant. Boris Tipoff, outstanding defenceman of Markham Juniors last winter and headed for pro hockey when the war is over, is another familiar face to be seen with Lieut. Smith's team. Army Shamrocks have been using members of the Brantford team in recent weeks with surprising success so the game is what is termed a natural and Les Benzer is looking for one of the best crowds of the year.

Les, by the way, attended a meeting last Friday in Toronto of the services league and here is the latest dope on the situation. All games are to be played in Newmarket with all teams starting from scratch and the championship will be decided in a tie the teams will split the two points. The finals will be a best two of three series. The first game, between navy and Toronto army, was played in Newmarket last Tuesday and the balance of the schedule reads as follows: Feb. 13, Newmarket vs. Navy; Feb. 15, army vs. Newmarket; Feb. 20, Newmarket vs. army; Feb. 22, navy vs. Newmarket; Feb. 24, navy vs. army; Mar. 6, first game of play-offs.

From there on the date will be decided, but the finals will definitely be played in Newmarket and after consulting with astrologers, tea cup readers, fortune tellers and weather prophets, Brother Benzer feels sure he'll have plenty of good ice for it all.

Toronto army has been strengthened for the series and will be able to play the same team throughout the schedule which will make them dangerous contenders. The fact that they couldn't ice the same team twice hindered their play more than anything else.

Reg Worters, nephew of Roy Worters of immortal fame, is parked in the nets with Don Hamilton in reserve. Worters has had plenty of junior experience and has inherited much of the skill of his uncle. Rhys Thomson, playing coach of the team, has decided to play more. Rhys has been up with Toronto and Boston and has had plenty of minor league experience. Glen Munroe, who for the past three years has been a standout for Tip Tops in the Varsity arena circuit, will team with Thomson. Chuck Shannon of Niagara Falls is lining up with Jack Hinchcliffe. The fans will remember the latter from the previous games but it will be Shannon who will catch the eye. Chuck is one of the few players in hockey wearing glasses who seems a mask. He simply tapes on the peepers and lets nature take its course. Chuck was signed by Toronto Leafs, saw service at Syracuse and earlier this season was bashing them over for Pittsburgh Hornets. He is a two-way performer.

Jeff Dewlett, whose six-goal scoring spurge still has the fans talking, heads the forwards: Ron Wilson, Oshawa Generals; Buck Davies, Montreal Royals and Aurora R.C.O.C.; Billy Kelley, Toronto; Red Creighton, Peterborough star and last year with Brampton Bulls in the local group; Bill Sumner, better known as "Pee Wee", who has been with Canadiens, Boston, Providence and New Haven, and has hurled many a tournament, softball game throughout North York; Pat Powers, son of the late great Eddie Powers; and Lorne Tunstead and Jim Williams who have been burning up the ice in the Garrison league the past two years. That line-up will give Cpl. Bill Stirling something to go all out with. Some of the lads who have left the club were in the nature of trouble-makers so harmony will now prevail.

Navy needs no introduction to the fans. Navy has added Steve Slattery, Winnipeg, and Larry McFerry, Whitby Juniors, to the team while losing Wart Barker, Lefty Olinski, Indianapolis; Clare Dillon, Young Rangers; Bunny Lukask, St. Mike's; Ken Grival, St. Louis; Floyd Curry and Bobby Love, Oshawa Generals; Jerry Davey, St. Kitt's; Bob Schnurr, St. Mike's; and Bill Armstrong, Marlborough, give PO Teddy Morris "the club to beat" in the opinion of most of the fans.

Newmarket will stand pat on their present line-up. Go the frank, nobody, including Jack "The Hipp" McDonald, knows where to start to make changes. While on the subject, let's pay tribute to some of those fellows more or less lost in the shuffle. Capt. Wilson, the camp M.D., is helping Jack McDonald run the club from the bench, with Capt. Bing Caswell getting in his licks between periods. Lieut. Bert Shaw, former Redman hockey star of other years, has shifted his basketball duties over to Lieut. Bert Life in order that he may see that the Bulldogs are going correctly and the blue and gold are properly timed. Len Wadsworth of boxing fame is chief trainer and rubber-down and can really extract the worst of kinks. R.E.M. Syd "The Flicker" Bowman and Maj. A. H. Adams are the chief rooters and trouble-shooters. The success of any club depends on the staff work and loyalty of many unseen hands and No. 23 is a perfect example of

co-operation at its best.

Congratulations go to that old master of the big apple, Wes Niles, who starred at softball for Newmarket Redmen and Newmarket camp and who has been promoted overseas to the rank of acting captain. Capt. Niles is well on the way up the military ladder and has come up from the ranks, a fine tribute to his ability.

Another old York-Simcoe favorite, Pte. Tommy Rock, ex-catcher for Barrie Collegians, was mentioned in dispatches from overseas last week for some neat work with a Canadian infantry patrol in Holland which gave the Nazis a big surprise. Back in 1932 a long-gone Vancouver youth, Duncan McNaughton, astounded the world by winning the Olympic high jump event with a leap of 8' 5 1/2". Duncan came fresh from a California university and it was one of the biggest upsets in the history of international sport. McNaughton, an officer in Canada's R.C.A.F., proved he could still fly through the air with the greatest of ease by winning the Distinguished Flying Cross for action over enemy territory.

Richmond Hill Curriers have been going great guns this winter and are the winners of Group 14 in the Ontario Tankard series, composed of clubs from Locust Hill, Markham, Stouffville, Unionville, Agincourt and the Hill. They did not win laurels in the provincial tournament but did make a splendid showing. Let's doff the chapeaux to those enthusiasts of the "roarin' game": Clarence Mylks, George Fuller, Bob Moodie, Stan Tyndall, Alex. McLumpha, Dunc. Chamer, George Lake and Jack Smith.

Most of these fellows are also known throughout North York for their ability on the green in the summer months.

Bush league hockey is flourishing this winter as never before with O.H.A. competition scarcer than usual and the fans ready for almost any brand of hockey. In most cases it is pretty exciting too. We have already plugged for the Aurora and Richmond Hill circuits and mentioned the South Ontario league as well as the four-club league at Agincourt. In addition, there is a four-club league in action at Bradford, composed of Bradford Fire Brigade, Scotch Settlement Commandos, Schoenberg Lumber Kings and Bradford high school. Dodger Collings and Harold Boyd, too well known to need introductions, are playing for the fire fighters. The Osadchuk brothers, Shorty Gusham, Bruce Collings and Herman Easterhouse are some of the better known players in action.

Unionville has a four-club circuit going too with Unionville, Toronto Goodyears, Milliken and Markham attracting good crowds and giving out with the old fireworks.

Stouffville is featuring a six-team circuit with Ringwood, 6th Line,

Peaches, Bethesda, Vivian, and Dickson's Hill as the competitors. Ike Harper, the big defenceman of Markham fame, now performing for Ballantrae and Brougham, is the chief referee and also does the whistling in the district high school league. Rev. Norman Rowan is convenor and the "Red" Dutton of the group with "Butch" Steckley as aide-de-camp.

Up at Sutton there is another hay-baler circuit with Sutton Intermediates, Behaven, Baldwin, Sutton juveniles, Cannington and the like in action. The gilt is fairly plentiful these days and while the clubs will never get wealthy, the kitty won't be bad when the season ends.

The split for the clubs at Aurora, we understand, will be 40 percent to the winners, 30 percent to the runners-up and 20 and 10 percent respectively to the other clubs.

"Watch out for Ordnance" may well be the cry in the Aurora town league from now on. Herb Holman will take over Capt. Bing Caswell's spare players and these, plus the remnants left at the local depot, should give the soldier boys plenty to cheer for as well as attract some following from Newmarket. Blake, Fraser, Digweed, Cavanagh, Dow, Dunham, Purdon, Kugelmas and the rest will be mighty valuable additions.

Earl Purdon, who has been playing nifty hockey all winter for everybody from Army Shamrocks to the R.C.O.C., is from Powassan. Being still of junior age, he is a (Page 7, Col. 3)

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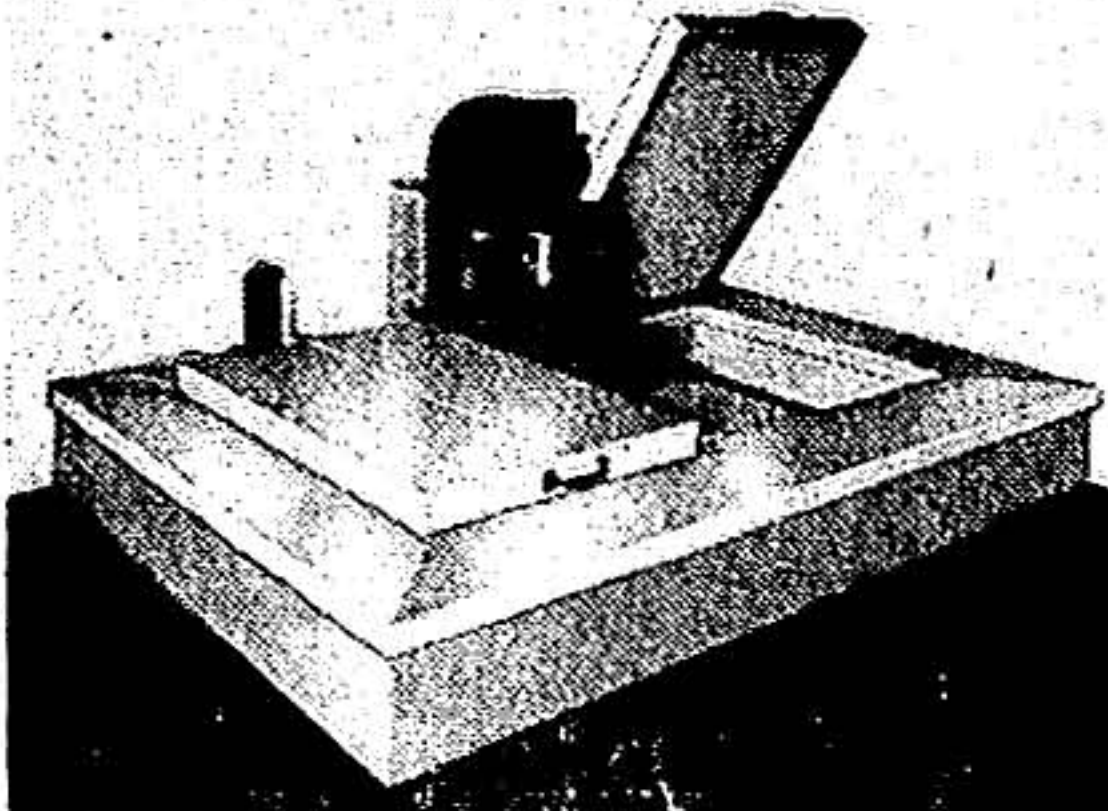
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We have made our war effort in the same way, contributing in the struggle of the United Nations to a degree that has amazed everyone — Hitler included.

We are well into our stride in putting this war assignment over, and when Victory comes, we will face the problems of peace with the same determination to do things in our own way.

We have not reached our present place in the scheme of things without mistakes, and we will probably make mistakes in the future. But, as in the past, so in the future, we will profit by our errors . . . building sanely and steadily by individual determination and self-reliance to make life a strong and worthwhile thing.

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SEVEN

MOUNT ALBERT

Sgt. Ron Draper and Frank Byerley, Toronto, spent the weekend at the home of W. R. Draper.

Word has been received from Pte. Lorne Paisley, who is overseas, by his parents.

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SHARON

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Association of the United Church will be held on Thursday, Feb. 15. There will be a pot luck dinner as there is a quilt to be completed.

Mrs. Alf Johnson, Miss Grace Oliver and Mr. Roy Oliver, all of Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Allan Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker and Andrew, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. James Parker.

Mrs. Ethel Mackie and Miss Doris Mackie, Toronto, spent the weekend with Mr. Wilfred Fountain and Mrs. Ed Pegg.

Miss Erma Hall, Oshawa, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmond Glebe and Mary Ann, Gormley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Collins on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Weddel celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Sunday and had their family at home during the afternoon.

A Red Cross dance will be held at Sharon hall on Tuesday evening, Feb. 13. It is the first dance since the new floor was laid. There will be a cafeteria lunch.

BELHAVEN

Mrs. Elva Elliott underwent an appendix operation at York County hospital recently. She is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. L. Holbert, at Belhaven.

Mr. W. E. Clark, Regina, Sask., has been visiting his brother, Mr. J. B. Clark, Ravenshoe, and other relatives this winter.

Belhaven defeated Sutton at Sutton arena last Thursday. Score was Belhaven 10, Sutton 8.

Belhaven went to Queensville on Monday night and won by a score of 8-3. Belhaven is now leading the league.

ZEPHYR

Mrs. J. W. Rynard returned home on Monday from Stamford, Conn., where she has spent some weeks with her son and daughter, Dr. W. Rynard and Mrs. E. Canning.

Mrs. Frank Curt spent the past week in Toronto visiting relatives. Rev. and Mrs. F. Bamford spent Monday and Tuesday in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Arnold attended the graduation ceremony and presentation of wings at Malton on Thursday. Sgt. Clarkson Arnold graduated as an air navigator.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Meyers and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Meyers and Betty visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Rose and family on Sunday.

Mr. Douglas Curt, Prince Albert, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Curt, on Sunday.

The Y.P.S. held a skating party at Mount Albert rink on Friday evening, returning to the home of Miss Marion Lockie for lunch. The Y.P.S. will meet in the Sunday-school room on Friday, Feb. 9. Pictures will be shown.

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SPORTS...

FROM

WHERE WE SIT

By DEL. GIBNEY

We think Joint McComb rates three stars for his game last Thursday. McComb, as everyone knows, carries the name of badman on the ice but in this game took a beating from Church and Bowman on the defence and always came up with a smile.

McComb is not only effective on the offensive but had it all over his teammates on the back checking.

We take off our hat to "Joint," and if he continues to play this same brand of hockey, before too long, perhaps you will see another Newmarket boy making good in pro competition.

Guidolin and Taylor, to our way of thinking, are excellent players but seem just a little selfish with that rubber disc. It might be the ice surface is a little smaller, or these two boys play a different style of hockey—any rate a little more team play would make the going much easier for Caswell in the nets.

Friday mornings the army takes over the Newmarket Memorial arena for company games. The boys dish out a fair game of hockey to provide good entertainment for those present.

Coach Lieut. Kennedy and squad from D company came through with a 9-0 decision over B company and earned the right to mix it up with A company Friday at 11 a.m.

The Newmarket Women's Institute is sponsoring the Ice Follies of 1945 in the Memorial arena on Feb. 26 and 27. We have been down to a few rehearsals and from all appearances a grand show is in store for everyone.

Mr. Beazer is using all local talent for this show, some using figure skates for the first time and performing wonderfully well.

We understand it is the only ice follies in Canada where all color schemes and costumes are designed and made by local artists and home talent is used.

Thirty girls and 20 boys are taking part in waltzes, ballets and what not. As usual comedians will be on hand to entertain you in the off moments.

NEWMARKET BANTAMS TO ENTER PLAY-OFFS

Vice-Principal Fred A. Hall has chosen a bantam hockey team from the three public schools to enter into the Ontario bantam play-offs. Sixteen youngsters were chosen among the three schools at a Wednesday morning workout and from the 16, 12 will be chosen to represent Newmarket at the play-offs.

Mr. Hall is being assisted in coaching the team by "Bep" Guidolin and Billy Taylor, former pro hockey players, now at No. 23. The 16 players chosen are: Laurie Thoms, Bob Rose, Donald Duncan, Donald Gibson, Ronald Monkman, Ronald Coveny, Bruce Burch, Donald Wilkins, Grant Elth, Ian Brown, Donald Blake, Jim Cain, William Cherry, Carl Tibbett, Bill Millaby and Ken Burke.

W.A. ELECTS OFFICERS

The Women's Association of Trinity United Church elected the following officers for 1945 at their meeting last Thursday: Hon. president, Mrs. Henry Cotton; past president, Mrs. Frank Rothwell; president, Mrs. J. A. Maitland; 1st vice-pres., Mrs. H. M. Hooker; 2nd vice-pres., Mrs. R. L. Pritchard; 3rd vice-pres., Mrs. B. Morton; 4th vice-pres., Miss Bertha Neilly; treasurer, Mrs. John Skinner; Recording secretary, Mrs. R. Meads; corresponding secretary, Mrs. George Lueshy; assistant secretary, Mrs. W. J. Geer; financial secretary, Mrs. Roy Rhinclair; 1st assistant financial secretary, Mrs. R. Howlett; 2nd assistant financial secretary, Mrs. H. A. Jackson; temperance and press secretary, Miss Leonora Starr; parsonage, Mrs. Fred Chantler, Mrs. L. P. Cane; visiting, Miss Bertha Neilly; social welfare, Mrs. O. P. Hamilton; refreshment, Mrs. Harper Price, Mrs. R. Smith, Mrs. N. Hopper, Mrs. F. Penrose; pianist, Mrs. Henry Cotton; assistant pianist, Mrs. Roy Rhinclair; kitchen, Mrs. W. Codlin, Mrs. Robt. Arnold, Mrs. C. Wray, Mrs. S. Quast, Miss R. Fairbairn.

ACCOUNTS PASSED

Newmarket council passed the following accounts for payment on Monday evening.

Fire protection, Fred S. Thompson, \$6.15; elec. maintenance, \$10.08; light and water, the postmaster, \$17.10; Frank H. Thompson, \$12.48; elec. maintenance, Edward Hato, \$26.80; elec. maintenance, Elman W. Campbell, \$17.00; water maintenance, W. H. Eves and Co., \$28.60; property, Office Specialty Mfg. Co. Ltd., \$13.39; \$28.25; water maintenance, road and bridge pay about No. 20, \$208.25.

Road and bridge, Pollock, \$11.00; J. L. Spillette, \$2.05; property, \$21; Indus. committee, Newmarket Taxi, \$1; direct relief, Brite's Meat Market, \$12.30; Curtis' Meat Market, \$7.10; Frank Hopper, \$10; road and bridge, Edward Hato, \$10.00; property, Office Specialty Mfg. Co. Ltd., \$3.10; Indus. committee, N. L. Matthews, K.C., \$10.00; miscellaneous, \$107; direct relief, township of Scitboro, \$48.45.

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FROM

WHERE WE SIT

By DEL. GIBNEY

Mrs. Irwin, president of the Red Cross, recently received a letter from Cpl. Wilson Greig acknowledging the Christmas parcel sent to him by the Red Cross. He says in his letter that he, with other boys, is billeted with a Dutch family in Holland. On their Dutch St. Nicholas Day, Dec. 6, the boys gave a party for the kiddies in the local school and shared with them the chocolate and sweets from their Christmas parcels, and entertained them with Mickey Mouse and Donald Duck cartoons.

At the end of the program, he writes, St. Nicholas, who was impersonated by a Spanish priest, arrived in a tank, and what a reception he got. It was the first time in four long years that the children had had an opportunity to enjoy themselves on their Dutch Christmas. The boys speak highly of the Dutch people.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Huntley are visiting friends in Toronto.

Walter Wright is serving on jury in Toronto.

Miss Ruth Stickwood, accompanied by Miss Evelyn Madden, visited her parents over the weekend.

Miss Lena Burkholder, Toronto, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Burkholder.

Mr. and Mrs. Launa and family visited Mrs. Rolling on Sunday.

The Women's World Day of Prayer for Queensville and Sharon districts will be held in Queensville United church on Friday afternoon, Feb. 16, at 2.30 o'clock.

The annual meeting of the United church was held on Tuesday evening, Jan. 30. A pot-luck supper was served and a social time enjoyed by members and adherents and their families.

A set of slides on the Life of Joseph was shown for the children, who had been studying his life. At the business period which followed, each organization gave encouraging reports, and financial reports.

The W.A. had one of its most successful years, and there is a good balance in the church treasury. The total missionary givings, including the W.M.S., amounted to \$404.

Several Queensville people attended the hockey game in Newmarket last Thursday between Newmarket and Camp Borden.

The need for clothing for the Russian relief is being brought to the attention of residents each day as the Russians penetrate further into Germany and relieve their people from prison camps. The campaign for clothing is still being conducted and the sponsors are anxious to have all contributions in as soon as possible, as the bale must be shipped to headquarters early next week. All clothing should be left in the United church basement.

The Red Cross Society is holding a euchre in the school on Friday, Feb. 9, at 8.30 p.m. The proceeds will be used for cigarettes for the boys overseas for Easter.

PINE ORCHARD

Pte. Addison Sheppard, Long Branch, spent a leave recently at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Sheppard, Cedar Valley.

Pte. Douglas McCallum, Camp Ipperwash, Forest, spent the weekend at home.

The east group of the Women's Institute will meet at the school on Friday night, Feb. 9.

Jan. 26 was girls' night at the club. Mrs. R. Armitage presided over the program of community singing of Scotch songs.

Verna McMillan and June Brilinger gave a duet. The Entertainment was read by Mrs. George Sproston. A playlet, The Beauty Doctor, was given by Mrs. Rae McClure, Misses Helen Reid, June Brilinger, Betty Spence, Verna McMillan and Joan Tidman. The next club meeting will be held on Feb. 18.

FARM FORUM NEWS

The Newmarket East Radio Farm Forum met on Monday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Eves. There was an attendance of 17. The subject for the evening was, Is Co-operative Marketing Efficient? The findings of the forum, as reported by Mrs. Eves, were:

Since there is no truly co-operative agency here, there are no products marketed co-operatively. For this reason we must market our products non-co-operatively and some prefer to sell this way because in co-operative agencies there are not enough members. To receive patronage dividends you must be a member of the company. Take for example a department store (though not a co-operative). You got a reasonable discount as well as interest on your money through a D.A. account.

It is felt the name "co-operative" should be erased from the names of many stores as it is abused and they are not truly co-operative companies. In order to have a successful co-operative the organization should be country-wide.

We think that milk, potatoes, eggs, and cream, in fact all products should be handled co-operatively. In order to obtain this the farmers would have to become united like the labor unions. We also feel the farmers should have been taught more business at

People Can Separate Truth From Political Propaganda

Says F. H. Marsh, President of The Bank of Toronto

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In times such as the present, tension and strain appear to promote criticism of systems and institutions—often of those that have best survived the test of the years.

In Canada a socialistic movement seeks to take away from the tens of thousands of shareholders their ownership of the banks in which they have invested their money, and to vest that ownership in a state monopoly. This is not intended by its supporters as a punitive measure for wrong-doing, nor is it designed to correct any evil practices. They acknowledge that banks are well operated, that they do not make excessive profits and that they are well regulated by parliament. They admit that they wish to take hold of the hands of the shareholders solely for the purpose of effecting control over all business and of the entire economy of the country, something impossible under the present system. The socialists have made it clear that their intention is to use the vast pool of individuals' deposits as a national fund where, with they may finance grandiose schemes of so-called "planned economy" and also finance, as they themselves admit, enterprises which may be non-paying but, in their opinion, socially desirable.

Those who seek to erase the shareholders' investment are vocal and vociferous. They try to mystify people by representing banking as a great monopolistic organization operating from behind a veil of mystery. I am a firm believer in the capacity of the average Canadian to distinguish the simple truth and separate it from political propaganda; therefore we should tell more fully and more often the simple facts about banks.

A bank, in essence, exists simply because it renders a service that the community needs and is willing to pay for at rates that will yield a modest profit to those who have invested their money in its shares. The banks have assisted Canada through all of the vicissitudes of national growth. They have served the country in good times and bad; prospered when the people prospered and suffered in times of depression. Over the long years that the Canadian banks have been operating, their clients, depositors and borrowers alike, have had ample proof of the unquestioned worth of their obligations, of the integrity of their management and of the adequate margin of their assets over liabilities to depositors and others.

There is no mystery about banking but consideration of secrecy as to clients' business not infrequently bars us from making replies to critics that would be irrefutable. Banks set high store upon the secrecy of their clients' business. How long this policy could be preserved if every branch bank manager were an appointee and an agent of a bureaucratic government is an open question. No state monopoly of banking could possibly operate at any lower cost to the country, nor could it serve as well as the competitive system which exists under free enterprise.

LABOR EFFICIENCY ESSENTIAL TO EXPORTS

Canada is vitally interested in the plans being investigated and formulated by the various countries to promote a sound basis for international trade including currency stabilization.

The Canadian government is fully alive to the importance of our export trade and its relation to a high standard of post-war employment, and is already taking important measures to promote such trade.

In the past Great Britain has been by far our largest customer. It seems apparent that after the war her exports will for a time at least be at a lower level than in pre-war years. Earnings from British shipping will probably be substantially down and undoubtedly income from British investments abroad will be much reduced by liquidation during the war. Her buying abroad will inevitably be confined or nearly so to vital necessities at least for some years.

The same will apply to the war-torn countries of western Europe. Nevertheless, the immediate need of foodstuffs, as well as lumber and metals with which to sustain, repair and rebuild the devastated nations, is likely to tax to the limit our ability to supply during the first two or three years following the end of war in Europe.

If Canada is to meet these pressing needs and at the same time serve her own best interests, she must take a broad-minded, long-term view of her export trade and to that end be as generous as is practically possible in extending credits and otherwise assisting those nations sorely in need of our products. It is essential also that new avenues of export business be explored to a much greater extent than has been the practice in the past.

There must be fewer barriers to the exchange of goods than formerly and a more complete understanding of the problems of other countries.

It must be remembered, too, that in international trade, sales must largely be offset by purchases and we must be prepared to import more than we export.

POST-WAR PROBLEMS

The war has demonstrated the great productive abilities of our people when inspired by patriotic motives and their willingness to sacrifice in the cause of victory.

Victory, however, will not achieve Utopia. The aftermath will be a period of peace-time employment. The responsibility for bringing this about attaches to both government and business.

Business must accept its share of responsibility for the national welfare and direct its full management skill and all-out initiative to increasing its operations to the limit in order to create more employment.

Employers must be ever more conscious of the importance of workers as a group and as individuals; enlist their co-operation, acquire their confidence and enlighten them on the problems of management. This will tend to improve labor-management relations and make apparent to workers generally the fact that they have a better opportunity of attaining their desires under individual enterprise than any form of state socialism. Nothing is of greater consequence to employees than a sense of employment security.

Canadian people, after their experience in the last depression, will not accept any lengthy period of unemployment. In this situation our governments must be constructive, wise and firm, yet prudent in knowing where and when to stop. For the future of Canada, Canadians must continue to be free to create business and work with government power always in reserve to arbitrate and when necessary to act.

CANADA A FAVORED NATION

May I say in conclusion that while in the post-war years Canada will be confronted with serious and difficult problems, when we compare our lot with that of other countries and take into consideration the rich background of our natural resources, we cannot but be conscious of and profoundly thankful that we are one of the most favored nations of the world.

We are populated by a virile and resourceful people who have a deep appreciation of the lasting values of initiative and individual enterprise. With the application of sound principles to our problems and faithful dealing to all we can face the future with confidence.

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